## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Matthew GAVED et al.

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 5, 2007

Sir:

Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time for 5 (five) months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated March 8, 2007 from May 8, 2007 to October 8, 2007.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$2,220.00 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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